

**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No. 214966



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Paul Meyer

Art Unit: Unassigned

Application No. 10/018,559

Examiner: Unassigned

Filed: December 17, 2001

For: GEAR PUMP EXTRUDERS

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir

Applicant hereby responds to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated February 26, 2002.

The items checked below are appropriate:

**1. Status of Applicant**

This application is on behalf of  other than a small entity or  a small entity.

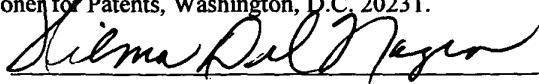
**2. Documents Submitted Herewith**

- a.  Executed Declaration of inventor(s)
- b.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:
  - i.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - ii. Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - (1)  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - (2)  Paper Copy
  - iii.  Statement verifying identity of above copies
- c.  Verified English translation of application
- d.  Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements
- e.  Substitute Drawings
- f.  Other: Return receipt postcard

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this document (along with any documents referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date: March 19, 2002



### 3. Fees

### **Application Filing Fee**

APPLICATION FEES				
BASIC FEE		\$ 740.00		
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	
Total Claims	-20=		x \$18.00	\$
Independent Claims	- 3=		x \$84.00	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims(s) if applicable				+\$280.00
Total of above calculations =				\$
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity =				\$( )
Fee Due =				\$

#### **4. Late Filing of Oath or Declaration**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for  other than a small entity or  a small entity.

**Fee Due** \$130.00

## 5. Submitting a Translation of the Specification

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

**Fee Due** \$ 0.00

## 6. Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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Fee Due \$

### 7. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Application Filing Fee	\$
Late Filing of Declaration Surcharge	\$130.00
Non-English Specification Surcharge	\$ 0.00
Extension of Time Fee	\$ 0.00

**Total Fee Due: \$130.00**

## 8. Fee Payment

Attached is a check in the sum of \$130.00.  
Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$ . A duplicate of this  
transmittal is attached.

**9. Fee Deficiency**

If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.



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Missing Parts Response (Revised 2/7/02)

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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